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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**REMARKS**

In a telephone interview of December 4, 2008, applicant's representative George S. Blasiak and Examiner Hassan briefly discussed the outstanding rejection of claim 82 under 35 U.S.C. §101 but did not arrive at an agreement as to allowability.

If the Examiner believes that contact with the applicant's attorney would be advantageous toward the disposition of this case, the Examiner is herein requested to call the applicant's representative at the phone number listed below.

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